

## YARRELL ON THE STUMP

Negro Sentenced to Hang for Criminal Assault in Prince George County.

### THE TRADING STAMP PLAN

Will Close Local Office on Account of Large License Tax and Sell at Long Distance.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
PETERSBURG, Va., July 7.—Judge J. D. Yarrell, a candidate for Congress from the Fourth District, had a flattering and enthusiastic reception at Prince George Courthouse yesterday. He spoke for an hour, and at the close, friends of Judge Yarrell, who are working in his behalf, say he is rapidly gaining strength.

The High Street Church will carry a large excursion from Petersburg next Thursday. For several seasons this church has been carrying to the area the largest excursion party that goes from Petersburg, and it is likely that the number they will carry on this occasion will exceed even that of previous seasons.

**TRADING STAMPS.**  
Since an annual license tax of one thousand dollars has been placed upon the business of the Green Trading Stamp Company, the local office of that company will be closed, and the stamps redeemed at the Baltimore office, merchants using the stamps will order them from the main office of the company.

It is understood that the present plan is to furnish catalogues containing lists of the various premiums offered for the stamps, thus conducting the business by mail, and avoiding the necessity of a local office, with its large tax.

At first it was proposed to contest in court the Council's right to impose so high a tax as one thousand dollars, but this proposition was abandoned.

**SENTENCE TO HANG.**  
In the Circuit Court of Prince George, Judge West presiding, Henry Dickerson, colored, was yesterday tried and convicted of criminal assault upon a small colored girl, and was sentenced to be hanged. Before the grand jury, Floyd Nichols, convicted of the murder of R. J. Woodbridge, colored, in whose case the jury returned "not a true bill." Thomas was discharged; Nichols was given eight years at the last term of the court, and a motion for a new trial is pending.

Miss Ruth Littleton Clary, daughter of Mr. John H. Clary, a resident of this city, and Mr. John S. Davis, formerly of this city, now of Baltimore, Md., were married this morning in Washington, D. C., by Rev. A. W. Flitner.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis will reside in Baltimore.

**DEADLOCK IN BOARD.**  
At the meeting of the board of overseers of the poor at the almshouse last evening, there was a deadlock in the election of a superintendent of the almshouse. Mr. Julius Williams, the present incumbent, and Mr. Joseph L. Carter each receiving six votes. The election was postponed until the next meeting of the board.

### GROOM AT NINETEEN.

Elopement of Miss Fenton Overton Moss and Mr. W. C. Owens.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., July 7.—Some considerable surprise was created here yesterday by the notice that two well known young people of this section had been granted a marriage license in Washington. Mr. William Crawford Owens, of Crozet, this county, and Miss Fenton Overton Moss, of Beaver Dam, Va. It was an elopement, the first news of the event that the relatives of the bride and groom had been a telegram announcing their marriage in Washington. Miss Moss was on a visit to a friend, Miss Carrie Lee Scott, in Fredericksburg, Va. There

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Best Country Butter, per pound . . . 22c  
Best Timothy Hay, per Ton . . . \$17  
Pride of Richmond Flour, \$5.40 bbl., or a sack 34c  
Large, Juicy Lemons, per dozen . . . 12c  
Arbuckle's Coffee, Per lb . . . 11-12c

New Cut Herring, half bbl., \$2.00  
Large cans Table Peaches, each, 12c  
Large cans Tomatoes, each, 7c  
New Cut Herring, 3 dozen for 25c  
New Roe Herring, dozen, 18c  
Best Cream Cheese, pound, 12-14c  
Elgin Butter, pound, 25c  
Best Meal, 70c, a bushel, peck, 18c  
Large New Mackerel, 3 for, 25c  
Medium Mackerel, each, 5c  
Best Butcher's Lard, pound, 10c  
Silver Leaf Lard, in tins, per pound, 11c  
Good Lard, 9c, pound, or three pounds for 25c  
Good Pork, pound, 7c  
Evaporated Peaches, 3 lbs. for, 25c  
Best Prunes, 6 pounds for, 25c

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## NEW RAILROAD LINE

Contract Signed With Southern for Branch Line Into Lunenburg.

### TWENTY MILES LONG

Lunenburg Lumber Co. to Build Line Already Partly Graded and Enlarge Operations.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)  
MEHRBRIN, Va., July 7.—Lunenburg will have a railroad in a few months. This is the statement made by Mr. H. B. Miller, of the Lunenburg Lumber Company, upon his return from Richmond yesterday, where he had been for the purpose of signing a contract with the Southern Railway Company, in which the terms were made satisfactory to both parties after months of negotiations between them.

**PARTLY GRADED.**  
The roadbed that was graded from this place several miles into the county, will be used, and the track upon this end will be laid at once. The road, when completed, will cover about twenty miles, and will penetrate thousands of acres of fine timber lands in this county, which is owned by the Lunenburg Lumber Company. Arrangements have been made to commence work upon this road at once; hands have been secured for the work, and there is no doubt but that the entire line will be completed this year.

**CHANGE OF PLAN.**  
It was the plans of this company several weeks ago to run a line from Blackstone into this county and connect with the Norfolk and Western, and of the Southern, but the latter has decided to run the old line after this company agreed to terms that suited them.

The number of mills now at work cutting timber will be increased as the road is completed, and it is expected that the company will be greatly increased.

## HABEAS CORPUS COULDN'T SAVE HIM

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
HARRISONBURG, Va., July 7.—"John Joe" alias Moyer, and his alleged accomplice, Tom Clarke, in the burglary of Dyer & Miller's store, at Fort Seybert, W. Va., were taken to Franklin, Pendleton county, W. Va., this morning by Sheriff Davis, of West Virginia.

Governor White, of West Virginia, issued extradition papers for Moyer and Clarke, which were endorsed at Richmond yesterday. Clarke consented to go with the West Virginia authorities without extradition papers.

The alleged crime was committed several weeks ago; the safe was dynamited, and \$400 in cash and valuable papers stolen. Some clothing was also taken by the burglars. Moyer was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Fawley and sentenced to thirty days in jail for carrying concealed weapons. Clarke was released on a writ of habeas corpus by Judge Letcher, but was immediately re-arrested, charged with being a fugitive from justice.

Judge Holt, of the Staunton Circuit Court, refused a writ of habeas corpus in this instance. Clarke was arrested at Mt. Jackson and brought here. When Moyer was arrested he wore several pairs of trousers and five suits of underwear. He had \$50 in money on his person.

## RICHMOND LAWYERS IN BRICKHOUSE CASE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
ONANCOCK, Va., July 7.—The trial of W. W. Brickhouse, lodged in jail at Accomac Courthouse for the murder of Edgar Adair at Belle Haven last spring, will not be called this term of court, as the evidence on neither side is perfected. Mr. George D. Wise, of Richmond, will aid Commonwealth's Attorney James Turlington for the State, and Mr. C. E. Moreland, of Richmond, will be engaged for the defense; also Mr. N. B. Westcott, of Accomac.

Dr. E. F. Mason, a prominent young physician of Savageville, is very ill with typhoid fever.

The greatest sale of round potatoes in the existence of the Produce Exchange was made. Manager Burton sold sixty-five cars on that day.

The sweet potato worm, a new pest, is doing considerable damage to the fields of several prosperous and progressive farmers near here.

## VIRGINIA BRIEFS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
ALBERNE, Va., July 7.—The only daughter of Mr. George Naval was killed Sunday by the discharge of a rifle. She and a small boy were playing together in the yard, and the boy, not knowing it, was holding the rifle, which was loaded.

**FREDERICKSBURG.**—Mr. M. Ulysses Lyles, a resident of this city, who was on board a Japanese steamer which was captured by a Russian cruiser and taken to Changhai, where he was detained until May 4th last, has arrived in Washington.

**HEATHSVILLE.**—Great quantities of wheat are being shipped from this section. The crop in this county turned out unusually well.

**ROANOKE.**—Owing to the falling off in freight traffic the Norfolk and Western has bought 400 tons of coal from the yard and train forces were laid off to-day. The shipment of coal to the coast is very light.

**ONANCOCK.**—The oyster business at Wachapreague was very successful last season, and now thousands of dollars are being spent in restocking the beds with plants and shells.

**SAUNTON.**—The Board of Trade to-day endorsed the Horse Show to be held August 4th and 5th. Each exhibitor is promised to close his store one day during the show.

**VIRGINIA.**—A powerful wind-storm and thunder-storm struck this section yesterday evening about 9 o'clock and lasted for several hours. The wind and lightning were the heaviest experienced here in years. Around Christie, Va., considerable hail fell and caused great damage to the growing tobacco. The growing crops in field and garden were considerably damaged by the wind and rain, even where they escaped the hail.

**PANTOPS ACADEMY TO CLOSE ITS DOORS**  
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., July 7.—Pantops Academy, which has grown under the management of Professor John B. Sampson, to be one of the finest univer-

## NO ARTICLE SOLD AT FULL PRICE

Just Remember, For Anything in the Drug or Toilet Lines Blanks Has It, and For Less Than It Can be Obtained Elsewhere.

We are glad to note that the public has appreciated Blanks opening of a prescription drug store on Broad Street, which is more convenient to a great number of people. In proof of same, the prescription business at No. 214 Broad Street, has doubled since opening. Judging also from my sales, the public seems to appreciate my select line of toilet goods and the remarkable low prices. We have had numerous compliments paid us on our superb line.

If you have a prescription that you have been unable to get filled, send it to Blanks, the prescription druggist, and if it happens that he hasn't the ingredients to fill same and they are not obtainable in the city, no time will be lost or expense spared. They will be telegraphed for to be sent at once. No additional charges will be made.

We have three porters and three 'phones that are kept for the convenience of the public. Don't hesitate to 'phone us for anything you want. We will be glad to send it to you. 'Phone us to send our porter for your prescription. It will be sent for, compounded by a perfectly reliable registered pharmacist and returned promptly.

Colgate's \$1 box assortment of Vaseline preparations, 83c  
Just the thing to take with you on your vacation trip. Each box contains ten different vaseline preparations.  
Fellow's Syrup, 41c  
Warner's Safe Cure, large, 75c  
Warner's Safe Cure, small, 43c  
Minty's Paw-Paw, 80c  
Purifying Bitters, 50c  
Newbro's Hierphide, 75c  
Seven full registered pharmacists employed.  
3-qt. Fountain Syringes, 45c  
Rub Syringes, 25c  
Root Beer Extract, 10c; 8 for, 80c  
Each bottle makes 10 gallons of refreshing non-alcoholic drink.  
Liquozone, large, 75c  
Liquozone, small, 43c  
Vaseline Lotion, for sunburn and the complexion, 10c  
Triple Extract Perfumes and Toilet Preparations, we have the largest and best assortment in the city. We can give you any odor desired, prepared by the manufacturer you wish. We have Richard Hudnut's, Roger & Gallet's, Colgate's, Flouard's, Wood's, Lescage's, L. L. Legrand's and 4711 and others. Call and let us show you our stock. We can suit you and save you money.  
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Wyneth B.M. Soda Phos., 25c  
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McGuire's C. B. Pills, per dozen, 50c  
McGuire's C. B. Pills, per 100, 25c  
Dr. Chase's Blood and Nerve Food 45c

Dr. Chase's Kidney Food, 45c  
Dr. Chase's Liver Food, 20c  
Beef, Wine and Iron, full pint and quart, guaranteed to be a genuine article, 40c  
Violet Ammonia, for bath, full pint, 40c  
Sea Salt, large bag, 15c  
Powd. Borax, per lb. pkg., 15c  
Powd. Borax, per 1/2 lb. pkg., 8c  
Powd. Borax, per 1/4 lb. pkg., 4c  
A set of Pictures with every pound.  
Craddock's Blue Medicated Soap, per cake, 7c  
Craddock's Blue Medicated Soap, per box, 20c  
Buttermilk Soap, genuine, 7c  
Cake, per box, 20c  
Seven registered pharmacists employed.  
Barley's Sterilizer, 10c  
Sterilizing Bottles, 6 for, 25c  
Lapacetic Pills, per dozen, 25c  
Lapacetic Pills, per 100 in bottle, 30c  
M. & B. Mouth Wash, small, 18c  
M. & B. Mouth Wash, large, 36c  
Crutch Rubbers, per set, 25c  
O. P. C. Suspensory, 75c  
Best Italian Olive Oil, 45c  
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Baby Brand Condensed Milk, thoroughly sterilized, put up in glass hermetically sealed, 23c  
Per jar, three for, 60c  
Tooth Powder, 17c  
Seven Sabrosa Cigars, 25c  
Martiana Tobacco, 2c plug, lb., 85c  
Humburg Tobacco, 2 plugs for, 25c  
Doan's Kidney Cure, 25c  
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Seven full registered men employed.

We have not depleted our stock at either Hancock and Clay Streets or Beverly and Randolph Streets, by transferring it to our new store, No. 214 East Broad Street, but have bought an entire new stock of drugs, chemicals and toilet articles for same.

We would be pleased to have you call and inspect our stock and see for yourself that there are no three drug stores in the city that have a more select stock of drugs and toilet articles. Our prices cannot be equalled.

Our prescription departments cannot be excelled. We have all the new chemicals that are required in an up-to-date prescription drug store.

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Our prices are exceedingly reasonable. In fact, we feel sure we can save you money on your prescriptions.

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PHONE 3054.

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323 RANDOLPH ST., Cor. Beverly.  
PHONE 1182.

## DR. ALDERMAN IS PRESIDENT

Accepts Head of the University of Virginia by Telegraph.

### WILL LIVE ON THE LAWN

His Formal Inauguration Will Likely Take Place on Founder's Day.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., July 7.—A telegram received this morning from Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, dated Victoria Hotel, New York city, says:

Hon. Charles P. Jones,  
Care Mr. Daniel Harmon,  
Charlottesville, Va.:

I accept the presidency of the University of Virginia, and shall devote myself to its service.

EDWIN A. ALDERMAN.

When Dr. Alderman left here a week ago, no one could say whether he would accept. For several days he had been studying the University and its relations very intently, but saying nothing to indicate whether he would remain with Tulane or come to Virginia. His determination to do the latter gives universal satisfaction here.

**LETTER TO FOLLOW.**  
The above telegram contains all the news that has been received, the letter which was expected to follow the telegraphic announcement not having come as yet.

It was understood before Dr. Alderman left the University that in case of his acceptance he would reside temporarily in the pavilion on East Lawn, now occupied by the Charles W. Kent. This far has had apparently only four occupants—Professors Blaetterman, Kralter, Dr. Seale De Vere and Dr. Kent. Dr. Kent and Professor Francis H. Smith, his father-in-law, will jointly occupy a pavilion across the lawn. Dr. Kent, it is understood, a president's house will be built.

### HIS INAUGURATION.

When Dr. Alderman will reach the University prepared to take up the great work before him is now merely a matter of conjecture. It is said that he has his affairs at Tulane in such shape that they can be adjusted without any great delay. Among the guesses here, where really little is known, is one that the formal inauguration will take place on Founder's Day (Jefferson's birthday), next April. Of course, his installation may take place at any time, although it is probable that it will not occur until September.

### DREDGING CONTRACT.

Pennsylvania Capitalists Open New Spotsylvania Mica Mines.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., July 7.—Miss Evelyn Holmes, who took the civil service examination here last year, has been appointed to the clerkship in the appointment of Mr. A. B. Yates to the clerk of courts of this city.

The contract for dredging the Rappahannock River, under the new appropriation, will be awarded on July 14th. Mr. E. W. Mills, of this city, has received the contract from the government for furnishing piers to be used in making the dykes for that work.

The Spotsylvania Mica Mining Company, composed of capitalists of Pennsylvania, who recently purchased a part of the Boggs property in Spotsylvania county, are now working the old mica mine, which was formerly in operation before the Civil War, and with improved

## TIE VOTE, BUT LOUISA WINS

Supervisors Decide Not to Accept the Generous Offer of Mineral City.

### COURTHOUSE WILL REMAIN

The Board Pass Resolutions to Commence at Once to Rebuild the Courthouse at Louisa.

### (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LOUISA COURTHOUSE, Va., July 7.—There was a tie vote in the meeting of the board of supervisors here to-day on the proposition to accept the offer of \$1,000 and two acres of ground from Mineral City to move the county seat to that place. The vote stood as follows: For removal: C. B. Meredith and H. J. Harris. Against removal: W. T. Meade, chairman, and L. Rosson. In all cases, in which there is a tie vote in the board, the commissioner in chancery, named by the Circuit Court, casts the deciding vote.

### THE DECIDING VOTE.

Mr. F. N. Sims, in this case, cast the deciding vote in favor of Louisa. Resolutions were adopted by the above vote, setting forth that, in view of the fact that the Commonwealth's attorney advises the board that the courthouse cannot be moved without further legislation, decided that the board had not the power to remove the courthouse away from the town of Louisa, as the law now stands.

### NO SAVING TO MOVE.

The board was of the opinion that, all things considered, there will be no saving to the tax-payers of the county, if the county seat was removed to Mineral, as against it remaining at Louisa.

These opinions were embodied in resolutions, and the board's determination to proceed at once to build a new courthouse on the county property at Louisa.

### Sebra-Hayne.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
HEATHSVILLE, Va., July 7.—Mr. Hiram L. Sebra and Miss Pearl O. Hayne, both of Fairfax, were united in marriage yesterday evening at the Baptist church here. Rev. Dr. George W. Beale officiating. After the ceremony the couple returned to their home in Lillian.

### A DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

In favor of Bromm's Bread should be carried out in every household in celebration of July 4th. This bread is the very best that can be had for love or money, and there is no better time to reform your bread supply than on our great national holiday.

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